

Know all men by these pres-  
ents that I A. H. Stapp a citizen  
of the County of Victoria in  
State of Texas do hereby certi-  
fie and appoint D. M. Stapp  
my lawyer agent and at  
trading to receive for me all  
and any money due me by  
the late Republic of Texas and  
the State of Texas since its do-  
ing acts which may be necessary  
to entitle him to receive the  
same in writing whereof I  
have hereunto set my hand  
and seal under a scroll on  
this the 13<sup>th</sup> day of March A.D. 1852.

The State of Texas <sup>Apperly from</sup>  
County of Victoria Personally appear Before  
~~A. H. Stapp~~ Notary Public in and  
for said County & I do certify to me  
well known and acknowledge that he signed  
the above power of attorney to D. M. Stapp for  
all the purposes therein specified

My Testimony whereof I have hereunto  
set my hand and affixed my  
official seal this the 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of March 1852

A. H. Stapp  
Notary Public